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Dear Allan,

I am writing to you because I recall vividly our discussions about American foreign policy when you were staying at Dartmouth House last year. You will recall that you then put forward with great conviction and cogency the Republican view, explaining to me the reasons for Mr. Acheson's unpopularity and the failure of his policies, particularly in the Far East. I am now no longer on the staff of the English-Speaking Union but am working at the B.B.C. as a producer on the North American Service, but I am still fairly active as a member of the E-S.U. Younger Members' Group which has been given the task of running the April issue of "The English-Speaking World". I am to edit this and my main policy is to get a much wider discussion of differing points of view within the English-speaking countries. In particular we don't seem to have had in "The English-Speaking World" any clear statement of Republican views. I would therefore be very grateful if you could send me an article of about 1,000 - 1,200 words, setting out in a straight forward and fairly challenging manner your opinion on the policy which the United States should pursue in its national affairs, not hesitating to criticise, as you feel inclined, the policies of the present Administration and of Britain. My whole idea is to make "The English-Speaking World" a much more lively forum for the expression of views, however controversial.

Do let me know how you are getting on and if there is any prospect of your coming over here again in the near future.

All the very best,
Yours,

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